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COM'S. DISAGREE OVER CITY SCALES

COMMISSIONER VAN BIBBER HAS
FAVORABLE LETTER FROM
KEWANEE.

KEWANEE SCALES MAKE MONEY

City Sealer Needed—Will Change
Name of Dixon Hospital Ac-
cording to Betha Will.

If Commissioner Van Bibber had not written to the Commissioner of Public Property of Kewanee and asked about the city scales there, and if he had not read the reply to the Dixon commissioners at the council meeting last evening, there would have been nothing of import in the meeting to chronicle. But fortunately for the press. Mr. Van Bibber did those things and as a result started a little discussion which, though not lengthy, was fast and furious and was participated in by all of the commissioners, several of them talking at the same time.

Kewanee Man's Letter.

The letter which Mr. Van Bibber received from Kewanee and which he read to the council last evening was: Mr. J. D. Van Bibber,

Dixon, Ill.

Dear Sir—Replying to yours of Feb. 1, would advise that we have a city scales which is taken care of by one man. We also have an inspector of weights and measures and city sealer. I will take them up respectively.

The tender of the scales collects 10 cents per load for weighing, and it is all turned in to the city treasurer. He is paid \$600 per year for his services. The receipts to the city from the scales beginning May 1, 1905 to May 1, 1911, were \$4588.30 at 10 cents per load. The disbursements in the same time were \$4039.93, which include \$290 for second pair of scales. The receipts in excess of disbursements for the six years are \$548.37, which shows that they are more than self-sustaining.

Regarding the inspector of weights and measures, he has been working but about ten days, so you see it is at present a matter of experiment with us. We intend after a reasonable length of time to fix his salary on results obtained. At this time we can not supply you with information on this matter, but would be pleased to when we have worked it out.

Would be glad to supply you with any other information possible.

Respectfully yours,

(Signed) C. A. DUNBAR.

Commissioners Unfavorable.

Mr. Van Bibber, after reading the letter, volunteered the information that Kewanee, with a population, according to the last census, of 9,307, was not much larger than Dixon. Before he got any further, however, one of the commissioners wanted to know if every coal yard in Kewanee was supplied with a scale or if all loads had to be weighed on the city scales, and the north side commissioner of course didn't know.

Commissioner Schuler, who has been in the coal business, said the receipts from a scale here would not pay a man to take care of them, and Mayor Brinton said the town was spread out too far to have a city scales. He said, however, that he was in favor of an inspector of weights and measures, and this matter may be taken up at some future meeting.

Mr. Van Bibber, however, was not ready to let go of the city scales business so quickly, and he finally got in a word that he had secured a man, Bob Adams, who was willing to install the scales at his own expense, for the receipts, if the city would appoint him scales master. The subject was switched at this point and nothing more was done in the matter.

To Act on Hospital.

Mayor Brinton asked for information regarding the city ordinances governing the organization of the Dixon hospital board and the ability

FRANCISCO PEYNADO



Senor Peynado is the new minister to this country from the Dominican Republic. He succeeds Senor Joubert, who was recalled and has returned to his own country. Senor Peynado is considered one of the most distinguished men of his country. To his efforts is ascribed the peaceable settlement of the recent boundary dispute between his country and Haiti.

of the council to pass an ordinance changing its name, as provided for in the will of S. H. Betha, and this matter will be taken up at the next meeting.

SUPERVISOR HAS FAITHFUL HEN

GEO. PRESCOTT'S FOWL GIVES
HIM SOME HIGH PRICED
EGGS.

Supervisor George Prescott has a hen that shows almost human intelligence. This hen is one that Mr. Prescott prizes very highly as an early setter. The hen displayed signs of wanting to set several weeks ago and Mr. Prescott thinking of the early hatching obligingly fixed things for the hen in the coal bin in the basement. The hen went at the business in hand with her usual determination, and stuck to her post until eggs had gone up to 40 cents and Mr. Prescott was remarking to his wife concerning the value of eggs and the remark was made within the hearing of the faithful hen. That day she started the household with her cackle and on investigation a newly laid egg was found in the nest. From that day on she has consistently laid an egg each day.

CARPENTER LIKES HIS OREGON HOME

FORMER DIXON BUSINESS MAN
SAYS JANUARY WARMER
THAN IN 22 YEARS.

In a letter to the Telegraph, in which he asks that his subscription to the paper be renewed, J. R. Carpenter, formerly of this city, writes from Medford, Ore., and he encloses a weather report of the United States weather bureau there, which certainly sounds well to Illinois people, who are experiencing such an exceptionally cold winter. Mr. Carpenter's clipping states that in Oregon, January was the warmest month in 22 years, the highest temperature for that month being 62 degrees and the coldest 20.5 degrees.

Mr. Carpenter writes that he has purchased a home, on the lot of which there are all kinds of fruit trees and strawberries and raspberries. He is commencing to make his garden and he closes his letter to the Telegraph with the statement: "We like Medford better every day and the climate can't be beaten."

REDECORATE BOYNTON.

RICHARDS STORE INTERIOR

A large force of painters and decorators are at work at the Boynton-Richards company store preparing the interior for spring.

TWO DIXON'S OLDEST SETTLERS PASS AWAY

JEREMIAH MOYER CAME TO DIXON IN '38—WELL KNOWN
CABINET MAKER.

GEORGE M'BRIDE IS DEAD

Had Been a Citizen of Dixon Since
1854—Died Early Today,
Aged 88 Years.

Jeremiah S. Moyer was born near Reading, Pa., June 26, 1837 and died at his home in this city Feb. 13, 1912, at 4:25 p. m., age 74 years, 7 months and 17 days. He is survived by three daughters, two sons, six grandchildren and three great grandchildren. He came here with his parents and one brother in the fall of 1837 and soon thereafter moved to a farm east of Dixon, where he grew to manhood. He was married to Mary J. Willard on June 20, 1860, and she died late in the year 1864, leaving one child, Charles A., who lives east of the city. On Nov. 7, 1865, he was married to Mary A. Moyer, widow of his brother, Wm. H. She was the mother of Mrs. Eva Kline of South Bend, Ind., and John E. Moyer of this city. To this union were born four children, Albert, who died Nov. 17, 1868; Louis, who died April 21, 1909; Mrs. Nellie Long of Decatur, Ill., and Carrie B. Winders of Los Angeles. All of the living children except Mrs. Winders are here.

Mr. Moyer was one of Dixon's oldest citizens and has always had a very large circle of friends, being a good neighbor and friend. He will be greatly missed by all who have known him.

For many years he was in the Camp & Hazenplug furniture store, where he helped to manufacture many articles of furniture that was sold into Dixon homes, many years ago. Of late years he has done carpenter work and cabinet making in his shop at the rear of his late residence.

The funeral will be held at the residence Friday afternoon, Feb. 16, at 2:30. The interment will be in Oakwood cemetery. Rev. Altman of the Lutheran church will officiate.

George McBride.

George McBride, aged 88 years, a resident of Dixon since 1854, died at an early hour this morning of the ailments incident to old age. Mr. McBride had been a semi-invalid for several years.

George McBride was one of Dixon's well known old settlers and was a veteran of the Civil War. He was born in Donegal, Ireland, Aug. 22, 1824.

Besides his wife, who is 84 years of age, there are two sons living, Charles and John, both of Dixon, and two sons, William and George, who preceded him in death.

The funeral will take place Friday at 2 p. m. from the home, 160 Ottawa avenue. Rev. Whitcomb will have charge of the services and interment will be in the family lot at Oakwood cemetery. The G. A. R. and Woman's Relief Corps will be in charge.

SCHULER WILL SOON OPEN LUMBER YARDS

W. A. Schuler, who for some time past has been at work putting the old Alexander lumber yards in condition for re-opening, announces that he expects to get the yards fully stocked and equipped ready for opening about the middle of next month. He was in Chicago yesterday attending the lumbermen's convention and is now looking for teams and wagons. Mr. Schuler was formerly in the lumber and coal business and made a success of it, as a result of which experience his friends predict further prosperity for the commissioner in this venture.

WILL ATTEND FUNERAL.

Ed. McBride of Milwaukee will be in Dixon Friday to attend the funeral of his uncle, the late Geo. McBride.

Hear Senator Magill and Senator Jones at the Opera House This Evening.

BULLETIN

THIRTY-TWO LABOR MEN ARRESTED TODAY

SECRET SERVICE MEN MAKE A
WHOLESALE HAUL OF THE
McNAMARA CONSPIR-
ATORS.

Chicago, Feb. 14—Special—Thirty-two labor men were arrested today by federal agents simultaneously in various parts of the United States.

They are charged with conspiracy in connection with the ramifications of the McNamara ring of dynamiters.

ROCHELLE FORGER IN TOILS OF LAW

IS CAPTURED AFTER FIGHT AND
AN ATTEMPT TO
ESCAPE.

FORGED FOR NEARLY \$100

Arrested in Ashton by Deputy Sheriff
VanNess on Advice of Reid—
Pulled From Train.

Frank Dalton, a young man who during the past few months has been working on a farm south of Rochelle and who yesterday passed forged papers totalling nearly \$100 in that city, was arrested in Ashton last evening by Deputy Sheriff VanNess who acting under advice from Sheriff Reid boarded the Sterling passenger and got the man, who had bought a ticket to Dixon.

Dalton, yesterday afternoon, cashed a forged check for \$42.65 at a Rochelle gent's furnishing store, another for \$17.40 at Unger's furniture store, one for \$26.75 at Krug's restaurant and a fourth for \$23.80 at Schade's meat market.

Mr. Schade, becoming suspicious of the signature on the check tendered him, started an investigation, which eventually showed the check to be worthless. He rushed to the depot and just as the Sterling passenger was pulling out of the station, located his man getting on the train.

Lost Hat in Scuffle.

He rushed up and grabbed hold of Dalton, but the forger was able to kick Mr. Schade loose, although he lost his hat and ticket in the scuffle. Word was immediately sent to this city and Sheriff Reid notified Mr. VanNess. Dalton had gotten out of the passenger coach at Flag and gone to the baggage car to get a cap out of his grip, riding in the baggage car from Flag to Ashton. VanNess saw him alighting from the baggage car and arrested him.

Another young man, who was said to have been with Dalton during the afternoon and who was suspected of being an accomplice, could not be located either at Ashton or here, Sheriff Reid and Deputy Phillips searching the train when it arrived here. The other fellow was absolved from all connection with the affair, however, by Dalton when he was arraigned at Rochelle this morning. He admitted the forgeries and was bound over to the Ogle county grand jury.

DEATH CALLS MRS.

WILLIAM BURHENN

Mrs. Wm. Burhenn of Franklin Grove died this morning at 7:19 o'clock at the Dixon hospital, where she had been for treatment for several days. The remains were taken to the Burhenn home this morning. An obituary and funeral notice will be published tomorrow.

DRAINAGE JURY RESUMES

INVESTIGATION TOMORROW

The Inlet Swamp drainage jury will return to the drainage district tomorrow to carry on their investigations of the conditions and probable benefits from the proposed enlargement of the system.

Daniel Timothy of Franklin Grove, a well known horseman of this vicinity, was here today on business with local horsemen.

CAPT. SAM CUSHING'S RESIGNATION REFUSED

SOUGHT TO END HIS RELATIONS
WITH I. N. G., BUT MILITARY
OFFICIALS DENIED.

DIXON BUSINESS MEN INTERVENED

Captain Complimented for Past Good
Work and Urged to Stay—Will
Get New Equipment.

The members of Company G are rejoicing in the action of Adjutant General Dickson, who has notified Capt. Cushing that his resignation, recently tendered, would not be accepted. The action of the adjutant general in refusing to accept the retirement of the commandant of the local company, was the result of intercession by several of the prominent business men of the city who



CAPTAIN SAM CUSHING,
Of Company G, Whose Resignation
the State Would Not Accept.

wrote to the office and asked that Mr. Cushing be retained as the head of the local company.

In his notice that the resignation was not acceptable the Adjutant General states that he personally wants Capt. Cushing to remain in charge of Company G and that he is assured the business interests of the city also wish his continuance at the head of the local militia. Gen. Dickson congratulates Mr. Cushing on the excellent standard and fine personnel to which he has brought the organization, and assures him of the co-operation of the higher officers in forwarding his work here.

In Service Eighteen Years.

Capt. Cushing has been in the military service 18 years and has been one of the most successful and popular captains the company has ever had. He was elected to the captaincy April 18, 1909, and since that time he has worked hard and faithfully with the company, the result being an organization that was reported at the head of all of the country companies in the state in the last bulletin issued by the officials.

The rejection of the resignation is an indication that the adjutant general's office will grant Capt. Cushing some additional equipment for which he has asked, and also that the company will maintain its place at the head of the regiments, as he has planned a campaign to increase its efficiency and standard of excellence.

BRAKEMEN ORDERED TO REPORT FOR WORK

All brakemen on the Illinois Central who live in Dixon and who have been out of employment during the recent slack period have been notified to report in Freeport at once to go to work. This call is issued on account of an increase in freight over the line. It is expected that there will be an abundance of work in that line for a long period.

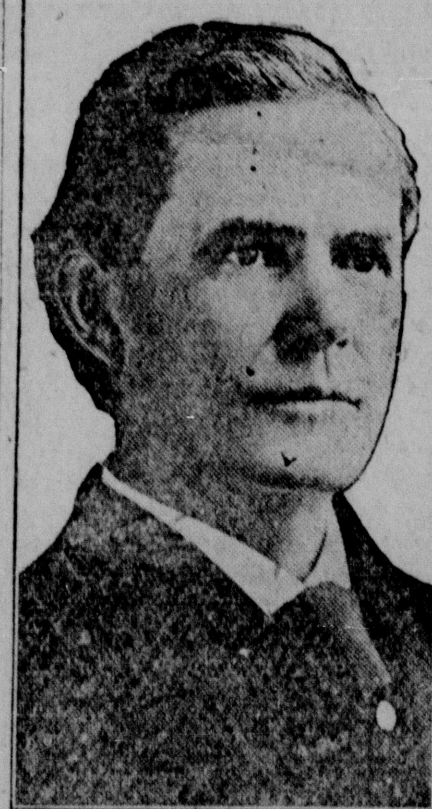
PEDERSON AND CONDUCTOR

WRESTLE IN ROCKFORD

Jess Pederson and Charles Chalendar "The Mysterious Conductor," are slated to wrestle in Rockford on the evening of Feb. 19th, next Monday. The Rockford fans are to be treated to considerable of a match when they see this big athlete and the scientific Conductor on the mat.

MAGILL AND JONES AT OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT

CONGRESSMAN CLARK



Representative Frank Clark of Florida is pushing the congressional inquiry of the Everglades affair before the house committee on expenditures in the agricultural department. He charges the agricultural department with having suppressed drainage reports so that a number of land sharpers could make money out of the land reclaimed from the Florida swamps.

WM. SHAW DEAD IN CALIFORNIA

FORMER PRAIRIEVILLE MAN, A
BROTHER OF ELIZABETH
AND JUDGE SHAW OF
DIXON.

Word was received here today by relatives of the death of William Shaw, in the Hotel Florence, in San Diego, Cal., at 11 o'clock last night, after about three weeks' illness.

William Shaw was a brother of the late Miss Elizabeth Shaw and the late Judge Shaw. He formerly lived in Prairieville.

His wife, a sister of James Lennon of this city, survives him. No details of the funeral could be had at time of going to press. Mr. Shaw was one of the beneficiaries in the Elizabeth Shaw will.

VAUDEVILLE AND WRESTLING AT ELKS TONIGHT

Young Hurley of Erie and "Kid" Olson of this city will be the feature mat event at the Elks club this evening, for members only. These two young grapplers were matched before at the opera house, but Olson was unable to go on because of sickness. There will be an interesting preliminary between two local lesser lights not yet named. Following the wrestling there will be a short vaudeville program, which will be followed by a social session.

The wrestling will commence at 8:30 sharp.

ASHTON MAN WAS FINED FOR ASSAULT

Howard Quick of Ashton was fined \$3 and costs yesterday by Judge A. H. Hanneken for assault and battery, which charges were brought by G. H. Kersten of the same place. The mix-up was the outgrowth of an argument between the two men over the proposed consolidation of the schools in that township. There were several witnesses from Ashton on the case.

Hear Senator Magill and Senator Jones at the Opera House This Evening.



WEATHER FORECAST.

Chicago, Feb.
14—Snow tonight
and probably to-
morrow. Slightly
warmer.

CANDIDATES FOR STATE AND U.
S. WILL SPEAK IN DIXON
THIS EVENING.

MAGILL FOR U. S. SENATOR

To Succeed Hon. Shelby Cullom, and
Jones Aspires to Governor's
Chair.

This evening, at the Dixon opera house, Senator Hugh Magill, candidate for United States senator, and Senator Clyde Jones, candidate for governor, both on the republican ticket, and both progressive, will speak to an audience from Dixon and vicinity and put before them reasons why each should be nominated to the offices to which they aspire.

Senator Magill is from this part of the state, a Princeton man, for seven years superintendent of the township high school in that city, and people in this locality are especially interested in his fight to succeed Hon. Shelby M. Cullom, in the U. S. senate.

The primaries take place on April 9th, and as the time is growing close it behooves each and every voter to get in close touch with the history, achievements and possibilities of each candidate. The best way to do this is to take advantage of every opportunity to see them and hear them talk. Look them over and judge for yourselves.

Each voter owes it to himself and the state and nation at large to make himself thoroughly familiar with the political situation as it is and to equip himself for intelligent balloting at the polls.

Everyone is cordially invited to be at the Dixon opera house this evening at 8 o'clock. The talks of the two candidates will surely be interesting, as both are finished, forceful, impressive speakers and they will bring some things to the minds of the Dixonites that will give them something to think about.

DAVID GEORGE OF FRANKLIN GROVE DIES

OLD SETTLER OF FRANKLIN, ASHTON AND VICINITY, PASSED
AWAY EARLY TODAY.

David George, a wealthy resident of Franklin Grove and a resident of Lee county since '55, died at 5:30 this morning of heart trouble, after an illness of about three months' duration. He was 83 years old.

Mr. George, who was a resident of Ashton for many years, and who has lived in Franklin Grove for about three and one-half years, has been a well known agriculturist in Lee county for more than half a century. He owned considerable farm land in the sections east of Dixon.

Mrs. George preceded him in death One child, Mrs. Chas. Waybright of Franklin Grove, survives. There are five sisters, Mrs. Geo. Klien and Mrs. Robert McClellan of Iowa; Mrs. Mrs. Christian Weaver of East Ber; Mrs. Rachael Pentz of York, Pa., and Mrs. Christian Weaver of East Berlin, Pa., and one brother, Harry, of York, Pa.

The funeral of the late Mr. George will be held on Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the house. Interment will take place in the Ashton cemetery. Rev. P. R. Keltner of Rockford will have charge of the services.

AMBOY WOMAN WANTS A DIVORCE

Through her attorney, John E. Erwin of this city, Mrs. Clara Shaw of Amboy has filed suit for divorce from her husband, Chauncey Shaw. The bill, which was filed in the circuit court late yesterday afternoon, alleges habitual drunkenness. The couple were married May 23, 1894.

DEMENTTOWN

Why so much noise about calling Bryan before that committee to tell about the money trust? Let the committee call the money. Money talks.

But on second thought, we seem to recall that Bryan has been something of a talker himself.

People who have been told by fortune tellers that they will meet with some kind of fatal accident should not let that worry them too much. We never heard of one of those accidents happening until the end of the victim's life. So what's the difference?

Have you recalled today how much pleasure you took in sending those dainty cards, etc., to that girl, who is now the wife of some other man, but who at that time you thought the finest bit of woman ever put on earth. You were dead sure then you couldn't live without her.

It may be only coincidence, but—Woodrow Wilson's troubles have dated from the time Bryan came out and endorsed him openly.

Strange as it may seem William R. Hearst has not yet offered himself as a presidential possibility for the democrats.

A True Story.

A true story is being told of a Dixon man, whose name dare not be published, which is just leaking out and as a result the fellow is standing a whole lot of kidding now. It seems that last fall, just as it was commencing to get chilly nights, this man went home about midnight carrying a good sized load of firewater. He got tired before he got into the house, so laid down under a tree and went to sleep.

In the early morning, at the first blush of dawn, as the poets say, the cold woke the man up and opening his eyes, he saw his wife standing at an open window looking out—probably looking for him. Rolling over, and hunching himself up as if under

the covers, he called out: "Watch the masser with you? Close the window. Want me to catch my death of cold?"

Bonheads We Have Met.

The thin man who wishes he was fat.

The gink who tries to push in the front door of a drink emporium on election day.

The old gentleman who tries to look young by dyeing his mustache.

The person who expects to get 10 cents worth of reading out of a 10 cent magazine.

Goose Hollow Letter.

Deacon Pringle is one man who believes that coming events cast their shadows before. He sez that every time the minister is coming for dinner he knows it, for he can't find his pipe or his bottle of gin.

The deacon is also keeping a hen coop, which by the way, is about the only thing that he has been able to keep.

Hank Purdy sez he takes a drink in the summer because it is hot, and he takes one in the winter because it is cold. When he's happy he takes one because he feels so kood and when he's miserable he takes one to make him feel better. Hank will never be out of excuses, even if his money does run out.

What's Yours.

A lecturer who recently asked: "What is the most pathetic thing you ever saw?" certainly started something, for every person has a different idea of that. We have asked several of our friends their solution and here's the result:

Mayor Vaile—A pair of broken suspenders.

Dean Treat—A gas meter that will not work.

Ourself—A cold pancake. Also the pay envelope at 10 o'clock Saturday night.

Siebolt—A lead pencil sharpened by a woman.

NO INVASION PLANNED

UNITED STATES INTERVENTION IN MEXICO DENIED.

State Department Insists Internal Affairs of Neighbor Are No Concern of This Government.

Washington, Feb. 14.—The state department, in a circular letter to all diplomatic and consular agents, emphatically denied that the United States was contemplating intervention in Mexico to suppress the many revolutions which are raging there.

The circular expresses the good will of the United States toward the Mexican government and declares that Mexico's internal affairs are of no concern to this government. The American government demands nothing save the protection of all Americans who are in the southern republic.

American representatives in Mexico have been instructed to circulate the note freely among the newspapers to correct the impression that the United States was only awaiting a good chance to invade.

The Mexican government has withdrawn its request for permission to send federal troops through American territory from Eagle Pass to El Paso.

Torreon, Mex., Feb. 14.—Twenty-six Vasquitas were killed and nearly 50 taken prisoners in a battle with federal forces near Lerdo. Railroad traffic has been cut off and scores of foreigners in the territory are unable to leave.

Berlin, Feb. 14.—The foreign office announced that an investigation of the murder in Mexico of foreign subjects had been ordered.

SIXTY DAYS FOR KILLING NINE

Conductor of Train Sentenced After Pleading Guilty of Manslaughter as Result of Collision.

Bangor, Me., Feb. 14.—Herbert G. Dibble, conductor of an excursion train which on July 28 collided with a regular train on the Bangor & Aroostock railroad at Grindstone, killing nine persons, pleaded guilty to manslaughter and was sentenced to serve 60 days in jail and to pay a fine of \$500.

Haul Water to Jersey Resorts.

Asbury Park, N. J., Feb. 13.—Water is being carried by wagon to a large section of the winter population of Ocean Grove and Bradley Beach. Frozen mains have shut off the regular supply and the thawing out process is a long and costly one.

THE MARKETS.

Grain, Provisions, Etc.

Chicago, Feb. 13.

Wheat—	Open-	High-	Low-	Close-
May	1.07 1/2	1.07 3/4	1.07 1/2	1.07 1/2
July	.96 1/2	.96 3/4	.96 1/2	.96 1/2
Sept.	.94	.94 1/4	.94	.94
Corn—				
May	.68 1/2	.68 3/4	.68 1/2	.68 1/2
July	.67 1/2	.67 3/4	.67 1/2	.67 1/2
Sept.	.65 1/2	.65 3/4	.65 1/2	.65 1/2
Oats—				
May	.52 1/2	.52 3/4	.52 1/2	.52 1/2
July	.48 1/2	.48 3/4	.48 1/2	.48 1/2
Sept.	.42 1/2	.42 3/4	.42 1/2	.42 1/2

FLLOUR—Easy; winter patent, June, \$4.30; straight, June, \$4.00; 4.10; clear, June, \$3.90; 3.70; spring wheat, special brands, wood, \$5.30; Minnesota patent, June, \$5.00; 5.20; Minnesota and spring, straight, export bags, \$4.50; 4.75; first clears, \$3.00; 3.25; second clears, \$2.00; 2.25; low grade, \$2.00; 2.10; rye, white, June, \$4.75; 4.90; dark, 4.40; 4.60.

BUTTER—Creamery, 22c; price to retail dealers, 23c; prints, 24c; extra firsts, 25c; firsts, 26c; seconds, 27c; dairies, extra, 28c; firsts, 27c; seconds, 24c; No. 1 ladies, 25c; packing stock, 24c.

EGGS—Miscellaneous lots, cases included, 24c; 25c; returned, 23c; 24c; ordinary firsts, 22c; 23c; firsts, 21c; No. 1 dirties, 24c; checks, 21c.

POTATOES—Wisconsin, \$1.00; 1.05; Michigan, \$1.00; 1.05; Minnesota, \$1.00; 1.05.

LIVE POULTRY—Turkeys, per lb., 14c; chickens, fowls, 13c; roosters, 9c; 10c; springs, 14c; geese, 15c; ducks, 10c.

New York, Feb. 13.

WHEAT—Lower, small dealings; No. 1 northern, spring, \$1.20; No. 2 red, \$1.04; No. 2 hard, \$1.12; No. 1 Manitoba, \$1.10; May, \$1.06; July, \$1.01.

CORN—Weaker, inquiry is quiet; steamers mixed, 73c; No. 2, 72c.

OATS—Strong, trade quiet; No. 2 white, 61c; standard, 61c; ungraded, 60c; 62c.

BARLEY—Firm; malting, \$1.22; 1.35.

Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 13.

CATTLE—Interior killers, \$4.00; 4.50; fair to fancy yearlings, \$5.00; 5.50; good to choice cows, \$4.00; 4.50; canner bulls, \$5.50; 6.00; common to good calves, \$5.00; 5.50; good to choice vealers, \$7.00; 7.50; heavy calves, \$4.50; 5.00; feeding calves, \$4.50; 5.00; stockers, \$3.25; 3.50; common to choice feeders, \$5.00; 5.50; medium to good beef cows, \$3.00; 3.50; common to good cutters, \$3.00; 3.50; inferior to good canners, \$2.50; 3.00; fair to choice heifers, \$4.50; 5.00.

HOGS—Prime heavy butchers, 20c; 22c; lbs., \$5.25; 5.50; choice butchers, \$6.15; 6.25; fair to good heavy packing, \$6.15; 6.25; light mixed, 18c; lbs. and up, \$6.00; 6.15; choice light, 16c; 18c; lbs., \$6.00; 6.15; pigs, 10c; 12c; lbs., \$5.50; 5.60; pigs, 10c; lbs. and under, \$4.50; 4.50.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 13.

CATTLE—Market dull and easy; prime steers, \$1.25; 1.30; butcher grades, \$1.20; 1.25; calves, call to choice, \$7.50; 8.00.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market slow, 10c; 11c; lower, choice lambs, \$1.75; 1.80; call to fair, \$1.25; 1.30; yearlings, \$1.00; 1.05; sheep, \$1.50; 1.60.

HOGS—Market active and steady; Yorkers, \$5.50; 5.60; pigs, \$5.50; 5.60; mixed, \$5.50; 5.60; heavy, \$5.50; 5.60; roughs, \$5.50; 5.60; stags, \$1.50; 1.55.

Omaha, Feb. 13.

CATTLE—Native steers, \$5.20; 5.70; cows and heifers, \$3.00; 3.50; western steers, \$4.00; 4.50; Texas steers, \$3.50; 4.00; range cows and heifers, \$3.00; 3.50; canners, \$2.50; 3.00; stockers and feeders, \$3.40; 3.50; calves, \$1.00; 1.10; bulls, stags, etc., \$3.50; 3.70.

HOGS—Heavy, \$6.00; 6.25; mixed, \$6.00; 6.15; light, \$5.75; 5.85; pigs, \$4.25; 4.50.

SHEEP—Market low; lower, yearlings, \$1.75; 1.80; others, \$1.75; 1.80; ewes, \$1.50; 1.60; lambs, \$2.00; 2.25.

TARIFF REVISION ON CHEMICALS

Increases Government Revenue to More Than \$16,000,000, It is Claimed.

MANY RATES RAISES MADE

In Larger Number of Cases Tariff Charges Are Reduced and in Some Are Eliminated—Some of the Reductions.

Washington, Feb. 14.—Further details of the Democratic tariff revision schedule relating to chemicals, spices, etc., given out here, accompanied by a list of the articles affected and the amount or per cent of the increase or lessening of duty in each case.

Says It Adds \$4,000,000 Revenue.

According to the committee's estimates the bill would increase the government revenue from the chemical tariff to more than \$16,000,000 in the next fiscal year, an increase of more than \$4,000,000.

It would take many articles off the free list of the present tariff law and impose duties upon them. Among these articles with the new duties proposed are: Black pepper, nutmegs, ginger root, cinnamon and other spices, 1 cent per pound; mace, 8 cents; cloves, 2 cents; medicinal roots and herbs, including licorice and sarsaparilla roots, one-fourth of a cent to 1 cent; iodine, 10 cents; indigo, 10 per cent; crude camphor, 3 cents per pound.

Gums and other articles used in making varnish, now free, are made dutiable, at from one-half to one cent a pound. Amber, used for cigar holders, now free, is given a duty of \$1 per pound. Many oils have been transferred to the dutiable list, most of them being given 20 per cent ad valorem. Almond and Chinese nut oil are made five cents a pound, coconut, palm and soybean oil one-fourth cent a pound, peanut oil 10 cents a gallon, olive oil three-eighths cent a pound. Perfumery and toilet waters undergo practically no change. Ambergis, musk and other preparations used for manufacturing perfumery and cosmetics are changed from free to 20 per cent ad valorem. Vanilla beans, now free, are dutiable 25 cents a pound.

Some of the Reductions.

The more important reductions made by the bill include:

Blood albumen, used in textile industries, from 3 to 2 cents; ammonia, from one and one-half to three-fourths cent; chloride of lime, from 24 to 12 per cent; calomel, 35 to 12 per cent; coal tar dyes, from 30 to 25 per cent; drugs, from 12 to 10 per cent; either, from 8 cents to 4 cents per pound; gelatin, from two and one-half to one cent per pound; refined glycerin, 3 to 2 cents; ink, from 25 per cent to 15 per cent; magnesia carbonate, from 3 to one and one-half cents per pound; cod, seal and whale oil, 8 cents to 5 cents a gallon, and cod liver oil, 15 cents to 12 cents a gallon. Ultramarine blue, from 32 to 20 per cent, with a minimum of 2 cents a pound; black pigments, 25 to 15 per cent; chrome yellow and green, 26 to 20, but not less than 3 cents per pound; powdered ochre, 42 per cent to 15 per cent; white lead, 3 to one and one-fourth cents a pound; paris white, 62 to 25 per cent; all paints, 30 to 20 per cent; potash bicarbonate, 25 to 10 per cent; medicated toilet soaps, 64 per cent to 30 per cent; other soap, 20 to 15 per cent; soda bicarbonate, 20 to 8 per cent; sponges, 30 to 20 per cent.

The most important increase in duties included: Chloroform, 6 to 20 per cent; caffeine, 25 to 45 per cent; crude tartar, 5 to 10 per cent; and egg albumen, used in baking powder, 3 to 6 cents per pound. It puts the following articles on the free list: Acids, sulphate of copper, borax, charcoal and bone black, coal tar and some of its products, sulphate of iron, Paris green, London purple, phosphorus, sheep dip, sulphate of soda, strychnine, sulphur in all forms, talcum and practically all drugs, such as barks, beans, berries, fruits, dried fibers, roots and the like.

FISHER GOES TO PANAMA

Secretary of Interior to Inspect the Canal Zone.

New York, Feb. 14.—Walter L. Fisher, secretary of the interior, will visit Panama today. This is one of a series of visits by cabinet officers to the canal zone. Incidentally Secretary Fisher will take a two or three weeks' rest.

SHIPS CRASH; 46 DROWNED

Two Japanese Steamers Sink After Collision Off Nagasaki.

Nagasaki, Japan, Feb. 14.—Forty six members of the crew and passengers were drowned by the sinking after a collision off this city, of two Japanese steamers, the Royo Maru and the Mori Maru.

Queen Elizabeth Very Ill.

Brussels, Feb. 14.—Queen Elizabeth is confined to the palace with a severe attack of influenza. Her physician announces that she is very ill but her condition is not serious.

Earns \$550 With One Shot.

Wausau, Wis., Feb. 14.—A luck shot with a rifle earned \$550 for H. H. Kuehling of Tomahawk, who managed to bring down a black fox.

ASHTON HAPPENINGS OF TIMELY INTEREST

CONTRACTOR MARK SMITH WILL BEGIN REMODELING THE ASHTON BANK.

Angle rWilson of Dixon was here Saturday on business.

John Kersten was in Rochelle Saturday.

Lewis Payne arrived home from Chicago Saturday from a business trip.

Henry Gonnerman of Franklin Grove was here Saturday meeting his friends.

Lyman Booth was here Saturday from Dixon.

Carl Greve visited in Dixon Saturday.

Mrs. Bart Orner visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Roat of Amboy, Sunday.

John Randall says he believes in reciprocity. Shake, John! So do we.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church held a cake sale at the M. N. Glenn hardware store on Saturday afternoon.

John Vaupel will build an addition to his house as soon as spring has opened.

C. W. Schafer from south of town was in Ashton Saturday transacting business.

Henry Danekas received word on Friday that his brother William of Flanagan, was not expected to live, and left on the evening train for that place.

Paul Charters, who is in the employ of the Harris Trust company, was out from Chicago to spend Sunday with his parents.

One of Howard Quick's daughters, who is attending school at Mt. Vernon, Ia., was recently injured in a coasting accident. Mr. Quick went to see her.

Milburn Paddock went to Chicago Saturday.

Geo. Brewer is quite ill at this writing.

John Kersten Sr., who has been ill for some time, is not improving as fast as his friends would wish, and grave fears are entertained as to his recovery.

The Bell Telephone company is repairing and rebuilding its lines between Ashton and Rochelle and it looks as though they were going after some of the local trade.

John Baker of Franklin Grove was here Saturday.

Ashton now has a moving picture show, open every night at present. Clarence Boothby of Dixon operates the machine.

The Ashton hotel under the able management of the new proprietress, is doing a nice business. It has been a long time since Ashton had a good hotel. Twenty-five dinners were served Saturday beside the regular boarders.

Prof. Streeter, who has been on the sick list and whose place has been filled by Miss Noelsch, is again at work.

The many friends of John Krug, who was seriously injured by a C. & N. W. train, will be pleased to learn that he is recovering very nicely and his friends hope to see him around soon.

Mrs. John Burnham, who is ill at the Chandler hospital at Compton is reported to be in a dangerous condition. Her husband is ill at the same hospital.

A. T. Tourtellott and G. B. Messer of Dixon were in town Saturday on business.

Nathan Sanders and wife, who are at present living at Franklin Grove, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Suter, were visiting friends here Saturday.

Martin Henert, Jake Henert, Wm. Ewald, Ernest Wiener, Wm. Sandrock, Henry Salzman, J. E. Wagner and H. J. Wagner were among the prominent farmers southeast of town who were here Saturday on business.

F. H. Boyd of the Ashton garage, is very busy at present. His shop is full of automobiles to be repaired. Mr. Boyd contemplates building an addition to his shop in the near future to accommodate his increasing trade.

J. J. Thome, of the Dixon Telegraph, was in town Saturday writing subscriptions right and left.

E. L. Soper, plumbing contractor of Dixon and assistant, John Burke, who have been doing three jobs of plumbing here for the past week, finished Saturday and left for Dixon.

Ray Rupert, expert electrician of Dixon, who has been in town most of the week installing an electric light plant at the J. C. Griffith residence, finished his work and left for home Saturday.

BARGAIN SALE SPECIALS

During the Bargain Carnival which opens tomorrow and continues until Saturday night we will feature the following Special Bargains.

1 lot of 7 Axminster Rugs, size 9x12 in pretty floral and conventional patterns, very good values at \$29.50 to \$25.00, sale price **\$17.98**

1 lot Ladies' Misses' and Children's Sweater Coats, in grey, red, and white, and two color effects, values up to \$3.50 included in this assortment. Special price, each **\$1.00**

Laces—Val., Linen, Torchon and Imitation Baby Irish—bargain sale, 12 yards for **50c**

Lot Ladies House Dresses in gingham, percale, etc., \$1.00 and \$1.25 value, bargain price. **79c**

1 lot House Dresses in light and dark patterns, gingham, percale, lawn etc., values from \$1.98 up to 2.50, sale price. **\$1.39**

Handkerchiefs—Ladies' Embroidered and Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, regular 8c value, sale price, 6 for **39c**

1 lot Hemstitched and Embroidered Handkerchiefs regular 5c value, bargain sale 7 for **25c**

Ladies' Embroidered and Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, good values at 15c each, sale price, 6 for **65c**

Ladies' Fleece Hose—in one lot, all sizes regular price 25c, sale price **19c**

1 lot Ladies' Fleece Hose, good values at 15c, bargain sale, per pair, **11c**

Ladies' Flannelette Kimonos, \$2.50 and \$1.98 values at **\$1.50**

Ladies' Flannelette Kimonos, \$1.50 values for **\$1.19**

Ladies' Flannelette Kimonos, \$1.00 values for **79c**

O. H. MARTIN & Co.

THE STORE THAT SELLS WOOLTEX

The commissioners of highways are getting out the notification papers preparatory to receiving bids for macadamizing the roads of Ashton township, which was voted about a year ago. Ashton is always progressive and will have the best kind of roads.

Mark Smith of Dixon was in town Friday and closed a deal whereby he will do the mason work on the Petrie bank. The floor will be lowered and an addition of thirty feet added to the building. A new Bedford stone front will be put in. The fact that Mark will do the work is an assurance that it will be done well.

A delegation of 46 Odd Fellows from Amboy and Lee Center came up on the electric line and were hauled from Wagner's corner to this city. A couple of second degrees were conferred, after which an oyster supper was served and all enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

The C. & N. W. Railway company is preparing to lay new rails through this town, also to re-ballast the track through here with crushed rock. The track is re-ballasted now as far west of Chicago as DeKalb and they expect to get through to Clinton this year.

MAZDA LAMPS

After February 12, 1912, a new scale of prices on MAZDA LAMPS will be in effect. Compare the old prices with the new ones:

OLD SCALE	NEW SCALE
25 Watt Size..... .80	25 Watt Size..... .65
40 Watt Size..... .90	40 Watt Size..... .70
60 Watt Size..... \$1.10	60 Watt Size..... \$1.00
100 Watt Size..... \$1.45	100 Watt Size..... \$1.35

The only thing remaining the same is the quality.

These are the Genuine MAZDA LAMPS with SHORT STRONG DRAWN WIRE filaments which are not to be compared with refilled lamps often sold at nearly the same price.

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Gehard Frerichs

Merchant Tailor 606 Depot Ave
New line of Foreign and Domestic Woolen for Fall and Winter Suits \$12.00 and Up.
Clothes Cleaned and Pressed.

E. C.—A deserted switch, hanging on a nail in a closet. (Ed's Note—E. C. wouldn't consent to the use of his full name, as his wife would then know he had been telling family secrets.)

Several Young Bonedicts—Wife's first biscuits.

Can Goods

Have you ever tried Creve Couer Brand, if not order Some Today? We Guarantee them.

Bargains For Everybody

THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

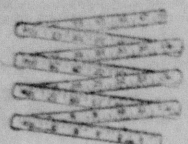
Every woman has use for strictly good Scissors. Here's your chance. We offer Henckel's Scissors, one of the best lines ever made, 5 1/2 inch, sells everywhere for 65c for 42c



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Big Bargains in Graniteware.

60c Bread Knives for 25c. A fine bargain.

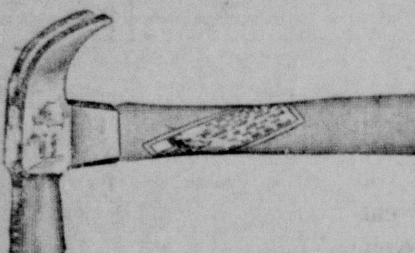


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WILL SHOW PICTURES.

J. A. Dauntler will operate his stereopticon for Rev. F. D. Stone's illustrated lecture on "Lincoln" at the Bend school house on Saturday evening.

J. J. Thome, solicitor for the Telegraph, attended the Lord sale today. Miss Grace Steele is now employed in the office of the Loan and Building association.

Miss Olive Altman returned yesterday from a several weeks' visit in Kansas with relatives and friends.

F. G. Chessman has returned from a visit in Elgin.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lally were guests last night at the M. Y. O. B. party.

Roy Baer was here today on business.

Frank O. Hogan went to Chicago this afternoon on business.

Dr. E. A. Sickels went to LaSalle today for consultation with Dr. Storey of that city.

Max Lett went to Rock Falls today on business.

Hear Senator Magill and Senator Jones at the Opera House This Evening.

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Progressive Republican Meeting at Dixon Opera House This Evening, 8 o'clock.

The ladies are cordially invited to attend the republican meeting at the opera house this evening.

Deputy Sheriff Phillips was in Amboy today.

Haul Water to Jersey Resorts.
Asbury Park, N. J., Feb. 14.—Water is being carried by wagon to a large section of the winter population of Ocean Grove and Bradley Beach. Frozen mains have shut off the regular supply and the thawing out process is a long and costly one.

AMBOY SCHOOL TO PRESENT PLAY

SENIOR CLASS OF HIGH SCHOOL
TO STAGE PRODUCTION ON
FRIDAY EVENING.

MARRIAGE OF AMBOY GIRL

Miss Bessie Jasper Marries Clyde Drury of Oregon—Mrs. Ella McNally Dies.

Mrs. Ellen McNally, an aged resident of this city, died Friday, Feb. 9, at the home of her son, Joseph McNally, on the west side. The funeral services were held Monday forenoon in St. Patrick's Catholic church and the burial was in the Rockford cemetery.

Miss Bessie Jasper of this city was married last Wednesday, Feb. 7, in Oregon, Ill., to Clyde Drury of that place. The young couple are at present at the Jasper home in this city, but will leave next week to occupy a farm near Dixon.

The Senior class of the high school is preparing for a play to present on Friday evening, Feb. 16, in the opera house. The title is "Hicks in College."

Mrs. James Dolan is reported quite ill.

E. E. Barnes was out from Chicago to spend Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Kastler went to Freeport Monday to spend a few days.

Rev. J. H. Gallegher is very ill at his home in the Catholic parsonage.

Mrs. A. M. Garrison was in Watertown a few days last week.

Mayor J. P. Harvey took the early train to Chicago Monday morning.

A. A. Carmichael is able to be out after his recent severe illness.

Martin Whalen returned to his home in Walton Monday after a week in the hospital here.

There were no services in the Baptist church last Sunday, the pastor, Rev. Robt. Wallace, being ill.

Albert Antoine advertises a closing out sale for Wednesday, Feb. 21, at his farm south of town.

Messrs. Frost and Martin will hold a horse sale at Edwards' livery barn next Saturday.

Mrs. Wilson Mynard of Ottumwa, Ia., who has spent the past two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Mynard, returned home Monday.

BARGAIN CARNIVAL

THREE DAYS---THURS., FRI., SAT., FEB. 15, 16, 17.

This Bargain Carnival offers unprecedented opportunities to those seeking high grade merchandise at low cost. Many of the articles advertised in this sale are new spring goods, and such bargains you'll not see equaled for a long time to come. Anticipate your future need and save from 20 to 30 per cent.

SWISSES—36 in White Curtains, Swiss, 12 1/2 and 15c value, sale price, per yard 10c

CHILDREN'S COATS—1 lot of Children's Coats, regular \$5 and \$6 quality, sale price \$2.98

PRINTS—Standard Calico, all colors, sale price 5c

PILLOWS—Size 19x26 inch Bed Pillows, covered with good ticking, sale prices pair . . . \$1.00

INFANTS' SHOES—1 lot of Infants' soft soled shoes, 25c value, sale price 19c

SILKS—36 in. black Taffeta Silk, extra fine soft finish, worth \$1.25 per yard, sale price . . . 89c

CHILDREN'S UNION SUITS—Children's fleeced Union Suits, reg. 50c qual, sale price 39c

SHIRT WAISTS—100 Ladies' Shirt Waists, long and short sleeves, worth \$1.25 to \$1.97, price . \$1.00

TABLE LINEN—60 in bleached and unbleached Table Damask, all Linen, regular price 60c per yard, sale price, per yard 50c

TABLE LINEN—72 inch bleached Satin Table Damask, extra heavy quality, \$1.25 value, sale price, per yard 1.00

FURS—Ladies' Fur Scarfs, Neck Pieces and Muffs, worth \$5 to \$5.97, sale price . . . \$3.97

One lot of Ladies' Fur Scarfs, worth up to \$3.00, your choice \$1.97

WOOL DRESSES—1 lot of Ladies' and Misses' Wool Dresses, many this years garments, to close out the stock, your Choice . . . \$4.98

COATS AND JACKETS—1 lot of Ladies' Coats and Jackets, your choice \$1.00

COATS AND SUITS—1 lot Ladies' Coats and Suits, exceptional values, from \$10 to \$15, while they last, your choice \$3.50

50 pieces of Wool Dress Goods, plain and fancy weaves, reg. 50c quality, per yard . . . 39c

85 Ladies' Dressing Sacques, 50c qual, sale price 25c

9-4 bleached Pepperell Sheetting, reg. price 28c yard, sale price 5 yards for \$1.00

42 and 45 inch Pillow Case Tubing, reg. price 22 and 25c yard, sale price 7 yards for . . . \$1.00

Infants' long and short dresses, lace and emb'd trimmed, for Friday will make 25 per ct reduction

One lot of Infants' Dresses, slightly soiled, worth up to 50 and 75c. sale price 25c

Ladies' Combination Corset Cover and Skirt, embroidered trimmed, reg \$1.50 val, sale price \$1

18 inch plain Taffeta Silks, worth 50c to 55c per yard, sale price per yard 39c

200 Ladies' Gowns, low neck, short sleeves, and high neck, long sleeves, lace and embroidered trimmed, gowns worth up to \$1.50, price \$1

CALLS MRS. SURRATT GUILTLESS OF CRIME

ARTICLE BY BEN PITMAN SAYS SHE WAS NOT IN LINCOLN MURDER PLOT

Almost fifty years after the assassination of Abraham Lincoln, the pen of Ben Pittman, pioneer of stenography, who acted as official stenographer at the trial of the conspirators, has revealed facts supporting his belief that Mrs. Mary Surratt, the woman hanged with three other conspirators, was innocent of the crime for which she was executed.

Written For Magazine

The statement was written by Pittman just before his death here a year ago, and appears in the March

Issue of a Cincinnati magazine.

A portion of Pittman's statement is:

"That Mrs. Surratt, who was hanged with three male conspirators concerned in a plot to assassinate President Lincoln, was entirely innocent of any prior knowledge of, or participation in those crimes is, to my mind, beyond question.

Gives Reason For Belief

"My conviction is based on the following facts:

"That as official recorder of the trial, as having heard every word of the testimony, as compiler of the published volume, 'Lincoln Assassination Trial' more than all, as having previous to the trial written down from the lips of the principal witnesses their stories of what they knew or about which they lied, I have had the best opportunity of forming a true opinion as to the guilt or innocence of Mrs. Surratt"

DIXON ILLINOIS

A. L. Geisenheimer

Hear Senator Magill and Senator Jones at the Opera House This Evening.

ATTEND FUNERAL.

Sheriff and Mrs. C. P. Reid went to Buda this morning to attend the funeral of Mr. Reid's aged grandmother, who died yesterday.

Progressive Republican Meeting at Dixon Opera House This Evening, 8 o'clock.

NOTICE.

I have sold out my business to Roy Barron. Those indebted to me will please call at the shop and settle accounts before March 1st.

38 3* Chas. A. Hatch.

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is far too sure to come when your bodily strength has been undermined by the poison of bile. Headaches, sour stomach, unpleasant breath, nervousness, and a wish to do nothing are all signs of biliousness—signs, too, that your system needs help. Just the right help is given and the bodily condition which invites serious sickness

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Three 50c Work Shirts for \$1.00
We also give you a \$20.00 Suit or Overcoat for \$15.00
We also give you on Thursday, Feb. 15th, three 50c Neckties for \$1.00
Also three 50c Undershirts for \$1.00

Our Special From 1 to 3 o'clock in the Afternoon we will give you your choice of

Any Sweater Coat for : : : \$2.15
Value up to \$4.00

On this Day we will give you 1-4 off on Clothing all day long

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CHANGE PICTURES ON THE ONE CENT STAMPS

Notice has been received at the Dixon post office from the postal authorities at Washington that several changes will appear in the new allotments of stamps which will be sent out within a short time. In the one cent stamp the profile of Washington will appear instead of that of Franklin and except for the color which will remain green, the one cent stamp will be almost an exact duplicate of the present two cent stamp. The two cent stamps will remain almost the same, except for a change in the manner of expressing the denomination. In the future, Franklin's profile will appear on the face of the higher denomination of stamps.

POULTRY MEN WILL MEET FRIDAY

An important meeting of the Dixon Poultry association will be held Friday evening at Youngman's coal office in Dementtown, when two new members of the board of directors will be elected.

Progressive Republican Meeting at Dixon Opera House This Evening, 8 o'clock.

PUBLIC SALE OF IMPROVED FARMS

At the Court House, Dixon, Illinois.

Saturday, Feb. 24, 1912, at 10 a.m.

To Settle Estate of Elizabeth J. Shaw, dec ased

300 ACRE FARM

The north half (excepting the northwest 20 acres) of Section 25 in South Dixon Township. All tillable land. Suitable for grain or stock raising. There is a good 8 room house, good barn with room for 12 horses and 40 head of cattle, good milk house, hog house, corn cribs and other out buildings.

Situated 6 miles southeast of Dixon, Illinois, and 1/2 mile north of Eldena.

This farm is leased to Carl Johnson until March 1, 1913. An undivided 2-7 interest in this farm is owned by the heirs of James Shaw, deceased, all of whom are parties to this sale and will join in conveyance.

201.66 ACRE FARM

The northwest quarter of Section 5 and the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of Section 5, in Marion Township, 5 miles south of Dixon, Illinois. All tillable land. Has a fair house and barn and all other necessary out buildings.

This farm is now occupied by John Blackburn, but has been leased to Edw. D. O'Malley for the year ending March 1, 1913.

Both farms are well located and in very good neighborhoods. They will be sold subject to lease or such terms as the purchaser may make with the tenant.

Each farm will be offered in tracts of 40 and 80 acres, and then as a whole, and will be sold the way that brings the most money.

Abstracts showing merchantable title will be furnished the purchaser, and may be examined before the sale if desired.

TERMS OF SALE: 10 per cent cash on day of sale, balance May 1, 1912.

GEORGE C. DIXON, Executor,
Dixon, Illinois

D. M. Fahrney, Auctioneer.

FOR TWO WEEKS

Special 10% discount on Ladies Gloves, Mens and Boys Sweaters, Heavy Underwear and Hats, Trunks and Suit Cases.

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WE HAVE ALL MADE MISTAKES

the past year--But let us start the New YEAR right by Burning

RAYMOND'S CLEAN COAL

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TELEPHONES FOR NORTHWESTERN

COMPLETE SEPARATE SYSTEM TO BE INSTALLED IN THE SPRING.

FOR DISPATCHING THE TRAINS

Local Officials Receive Word That Work Will Be Started March First.

The safety department of the Chicago and Northwestern has notified local officials that the company will install a complete system of telephones for the dispatching of trains. Work on the new system is to start on March 1 and it is to be completed by June 1.

For Galena Division.

The new system will be for the Galena division. It will extend from Chicago to Clinton. From Nelson to Peoria the new system will be used exclusively for the operation of trains, but in case trouble arises the old ticker will be used. The telegraph lines will be used for other purposes, thus giving the company two separate wire systems.

A Complete System.

The telephone system will be complete in itself. A new pole line will be built from Chicago to the Mississippi river and from Nelson to Peoria. No 8 copper wire, the best known for telephone purposes, will be used and a complete circuit of two wires will be placed.

Increases Safety.

The safety department believes that by the installation of the copper telephone system it will give the company the best possible safety appliances. It will be possible to use telegraph or telephone, and at all times the trains will be under control of either telegraph or telephone wires, and the Hall signal system. The Northwestern has a unique record in taking precautions for the safety of passengers and also of shippers and the telephone is another step forward in the work.

ARNOLD JUROR

DRAWN BIG FINE

GETS TEN DAYS IN JAIL AND A HEAVY FINE FOR CONTEMPT

Ellas Matter of Buckeye, the Arnold juror charged with contempt of court, who virtually pleaded guilty in his answer to the information filed a week ago, appeared before Judge Carnes at Freeport Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock and was sentenced to spend ten days in the county jail, and to pay a fine of \$200 and to pay the costs of the case, which will amount to considerable. It was ordered that he stand committed until the fine and costs are paid.

R. P. Eckert represented Mr. Matter and suggested that a reasonable fine be imposed, as it was evident that Mr. Matter erred in doing some of the things set forth in the information.

State's Attorney Burrell urged that he be fined \$1,000 and be sentenced to jail for 90 days. In imposing sentence Judge Carnes said that an example must be made in this case to insure fair jury trials in the future.

VAPOR TREATMENT

For Catarrh, Colds, Coughs, Sore Throat and Bronchitis

Everybody knows that breathing HYOMEI a few times a day through the little hard rubber pocket inhaler will in a short time drive out catarrh. Many people regularly use the vapor treatment at night in conjunction with the inhaler, claiming that it hastens results.

This is the vapor treatment: Into a bowl three quarters full of boiling water pour a scant teaspoonful of HYOMEI, cover head and bowl with towel and breathe for five minutes the soothing healing, antiseptic HYOMEI vapor. Try it when using HYOMEI for any nose or throat ailment.

HYOMEI is guaranteed by Rowland Bros to put an end to catarrh or money back. A bottle of HYOMEI costs 50 cents, a complete outfit, which includes inhaler \$1.00.

PUBLIC SALE.

At the old Cromwell Stone House Chicago street, Dixon, Ill., Friday, Feb. 16, at one o'clock p. m. All kinds of household goods and furniture.

D. M. Fahrney, Auct. 28 2

Dramatic Notes

FAMILY THEATRE

This evening is the last to see the present bill at the Family, consisting of Eddie & Edna Shaw in a song and dance sketch. Both appear in songs and dances and Miss Shaw is an exceptionally clever singer and dancer. Sini & Nello, the Russian musicians, appear in a somewhat different musical sketch, which pleased large crowds all this week. The violin selections by Sini are especially pleasing, also the vocal solo by Nello.

PRINCESS THEATRE.

The management of the Princess theatre has booked some of the most interesting and entertaining films on the market for this week. This evening will be shown Helpless Man, a comedy drama, that is very laughable; The Portrait, a drama, a story of love in Bohemia, and Foolhead's Holiday, which is a big laugh from start to finish.

LASALLE—CHICAGO.

A unique celebration of the 300th Chicago performance of "Louisiana Lou" in the LaSalle Opera House has been hit upon by Harry Askin, the manager of the LaSalle enterprise. His plan is nothing more or less than to give a sumptuous banquet and entertainment on the night of Thursday, March 28, the date of the 300th performance, his guests to be those who attended the opening performance of "Louisiana Lou" in the LaSalle on the night of Sept. 3. The idea of souvenirs is one Mr. Askin abandoned at the very beginning of the season, inasmuch as he feels that the theatregoer who is capable of paying \$1.50 or \$2 per seat for first class engagements is not the kind of person to appreciate a souvenir costing less than the price of the ticket; besides, souvenirs mean nothing; whereas, at the banquet and entertainment such as he will give at Rectors' night of March 28, he will meet his patrons face to face, there will be good cheer, high spirits and a convivial time to impress "Louisiana Lou" the LaSalle Opera House and all that pertains to the Chicago home of musical comedy on the minds of each and every guest.

As for "Louisiana Lou," itself, there remains nothing now to be said. It goes on week after week.

The Tuesday and Thursday matinees, with their special appeal to out of town visitors, with \$1 for the best seats and good reserved seats for as low as 25 cents, remain a feature; while the Saturday matinees are he wonder of Chicago, inasmuch as they are invariably packed to the doors, and there have been Saturdays when fully two-thirds of the afternoon audience consisted of children, there being a great deal in "Louisiana Lou" that appeals to the little ones as well as to the larger ones.

GRAND—CHICAGO.

The engagement of the Irish Players in the Grand Opera House, Chicago, began with an immense attendance on Monday night, Feb. 5, when a triple bill of "Spreading the News," "The Rising of the Moon" and "The Building Fund" was presented, the same bill to be presented at the 11 matinees which mark the Wednesday afternoon performances there. On Tuesday night the company presented "Cathleen ni Houlihan" and the famous "Playboy of the Western World," to be repeated the remaining nights of the week and on Saturday afternoon. As was previously stated in these columns no schedule of performances has been made beyond the second week, the first half of which will be devoted to a triple bill consisting of Lady Gregory's two one-act plays, "Hyacinth Halcy" and "The Workhouse Ward," between which will be acted by T. C. M. Murray's famous one-act tragedy called "The Birthright" said to be one of the most striking, intense, dramatic and moving compositions in the entire repertory of the Abbey company. The second half of the week will be devoted to George Bernard Shaw's famous "The Showing-up of Blanco Posnet" and Lady Gregory's "three-act comedy of present Irish life called "The Image."

The Wednesday matinee of the second week will be devoted to a triple bill while the Shaw play and Lady Gregory's "The Image" will make up the Saturday matinee.

There still remains 16 bills yet listed for presentation in Chicago.

Progressive Republican Meeting at Dixon Opera House This Evening, 8 o'clock.

THURSDAY SPECIAL

At 2 o'clock we place on Sale Eight Dozen Good Brooms worth Fifty Cents each. These brooms are made of good, green corn, four sewed, wire bound, polished hard-wood handle, and while they are not as heavy as the ones we sold last week, they are really of better quality. On sale at 2 p. m., each 25 cents.

At 4 o'clock we sell 50 dozen Handkerchiefs at ONE CENT Each. Limit, ten to one customer. These goods are a real bargain, and you'll have to see them to appreciate the value. 4 O'clock, each 1 CENT

The Fair

5-10-8-25¢

DIXON PHYSICIAN SECURES PATENT

DR. ROBBINS HAS VALUABLE INVENTION PROTECTED—GETS ENCOURAGING OFFERS.

Dr. C. A. Robbins, who secured a patent January 30 for a flush valve for cistern tanks, has already received an offer which proves his invention is of considerable value. He has received a letter from a foreign patent agent who makes it his business to look up all recent patents and if they have merit, secure the rights. In the letter received the agent desires to secure the foreign manufacturing rights outright or on royalty. He states that he considers the foreign rights to be worth about \$10,000. This would still give Dr. Robbins the United States rights which in all probability will be worth more in royalties, or he can promote the manufacture of the same himself.

The patent is very simple and will make a great change in plumbing costs, for when it is out of repair it can be put in working order for a fractional part of a cent for material. This is not the only patent that Dr. Robbins has secured but his latest.

MAYOR BRINTON AFTER POLICE FORCE

HAS COMPLAINED TO COMMISSIONER GANNON—CHANGES MAY BE MADE.

It is reported in official circles that a shake-up in the police department may take place in a few days as the result of a conference between Mayor Brinton and Commissioner Gannon who is in charge of the department of health and safety. Although the mayor has not filed any written charges against any of the policemen, it is said that he is very much dissatisfied with the work done by one of the officers and he is reported to have taken the matter up with Commissioner Gannon. Mr. Gannon when asked this morning as to the possibility of any action being taken toward the reorganization of the force, was non-committal but admitted that the mayor had spoken to him regarding one of the officers.

HARPOLE TEAM DEFEATS ELLIOT AGGREGATION

Harpole's team last night defeated, in the first division of their series of games at Smith's bowling alleys, the Elliot aggregation. The winning team secured only 15 pins in the three games over their opponents. The date for the next three games has not been set. The score:

Harpole	152	160	109
F. Fordham	116	145	107
Emmert	137	178	196
H. Fordham	143	170	170
Rosbrook	119	131	182
Total	665	784	764
Grand Total	2213.		
Elliot	109	144	123
Lievan	159	150	179
Weigle	133	153	162
Kohn	139	150	141
Brogan	176	147	133
Totals	716	744	738
Grand total	2198.		

The Poole and Hefley teams will play tomorrow night at the same place.

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Three Days OF BIG VALUES

THE three day "Bargain Carnival" at this store will be a money saving affair to you. On account of the alterations now in progress, many small lots of seasonable goods will be offered at extremely low prices. These offerings, in addition to the reductions we are making on our regular stock for these three days, will mean that you should make it a point to see us early and examine thoroughly the bargains we are offering for this occasion. Every item listed below means a substantial saving to you

For the Three Days

Your unrestricted choice of our finest Hart, Schaffner & Marx Suits and Overcoats, selling regular at \$25.00, \$27.50 and \$30.00. **\$16.75**

Your unrestricted choice of our enormous stock of good clothes, as fully guaranteed as the higher priced goods, the regular \$18, \$16.50 Suits and Overcoats, at **\$11.75**

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In order to introduce the best 75c Overall in the city for the 3 days we offer an exceptional 75c value at **68c**

A liberal assortment new 50c Neckwear 35c each, or 3 for \$1.00

5 pair 25c Sox, your choice, any weight or color. . . . \$1.00

Rockford Sox, "3 for a quarter" value, per dozen. . . . 85c

Boys, Knickerbocker Suits, sizes 3 to 17, will be sold at 1/4 off the regular price for the three days.

SHOES

For the three days we offer 100 pair \$3, \$3.50 and \$4 Shoes at **\$2.35**

Broken lines and sizes, but all sizes are included in the lot. This offer applies only as long the lot of 100 pair lasts.

Our regular stock of 50c Work Shirts, sizes 14 to 19, your choice for the 3 days 35c each, or 3 for. . . **\$1.00**

A liberal assortment of \$1.50, \$1.00 Dress Shirts, Special for the three days. . . . **69c**

Our regular stock of 75c Dress Shirts, new patterns, thoroughly good values at 75c, for the 3 days 2 for **\$1.00**

Special lot of \$2.50 and \$2 Hats, all styles and sizes, also a few \$3 hats in this lot, for 3 days, choice **\$1.00**

REMEMBER THE DATE, FEB. 15, 16 AND 17

Many small lots will be on sale that are not listed above. They represent big values for little money—Gloves, Sweaters, Underwear, Trousers, Etc.

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50 dozen Men's Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, two for. . . 5c

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CHAPTER XXXV.

The Last Resort of Gentlemen.

I found the library deserted, and paced the floor for fully half an hour before Caton appeared. Stung as I had been by Brennan's harsh, uncalculated words, I yet shrank from the thought that I must now meet him in deadly combat. It was no fear of personal injury that troubled me; indeed I do not recall giving this the slightest consideration, for my mind was altogether concentrated upon what such a meeting must necessarily mean to Edith Brennan, and how it would affect our future relationship. This was the thought that swayed and mastered me. I had pledged myself to avoid him, and indeed had used every means possible to that end. The time was none too long, yet my mind once thoroughly settled as to my duty to her, became calm again, and confident in the outcome. When Caton entered, flushed and visibly excited from what had evidently proven an acrimonious controversy, I greeted him with a smile.

"You appear to have experienced difficulties in regard to details," I said curiously.

"There was much unnecessary talk," he admitted, "but matters have been at last arranged to the satisfaction of all concerned. You are to meet at once, in the rear of the big tobacco shed, a spot entirely removed from observation. I have been compelled to accept pistols as the weapons, as we have nothing else here at all suitable for the purpose—cavalry sabers being far too cumbersome. Lieutenant Starr chances to possess two derringers exactly alike, which we have mutually agreed upon. I hope this is satisfactory to you, Wayne?"

"I am not precisely an expert, but that does not greatly matter. Who acts for Brennan?"

"Captain Moorehouse, rather against his will, I think."

"Very well, Caton; I am perfectly satisfied, and am, indeed, greatly obliged to you; yet before we go out I desire to speak a word or two with the utmost frankness." I stood facing him, my hand resting lightly upon the writing table, my eyes reading his expressive face. "As my second I wish you to comprehend fully my actions, and the motives that inspire them. If they are in any way unsatisfactory to your mind you may feel at perfect liberty to withhold your services. I am now, and always have been, opposed to dueling; I believe it wrong in principle, and a travesty upon justice; but it is a custom of the South, a requirement among officers of our army, and after what has just occurred between Major Brennan and myself I cannot honorably refuse any longer to go out. Major Brennan has deliberately placed me in a position where I cannot avoid meeting him without losing all standing in my corps. I sought to escape, but was prevented by accident; now I simply yield to the inevitable. I feel confident you will not misconstrue these words; you surely know me sufficiently well so as not to attribute them to cowardice. I shall face him exactly in accordance with your arrangements, asking nothing upon my part, yielding him every satisfaction he can possibly desire—but I shall fire in the air."

He stared at me incredulously, his face a perfect picture of amazement. "But, Wayne," he stammered, "are you aware that Major Brennan is an expert with the pistol? that he holds the Sixth Corps trophy? Do you realize that he goes out deliberately intending to kill you?"

"I was not posted as to the first fact you mention, but have never entertained the slightest doubt as to the other. However, they do not in the least affect my decision. Yet I do not desire you to suppose that I am at all quixotic in this—there is a personal reason why I am perfectly willing to risk my life rather than injure Major Brennan."

His troubled eyes studied me intently, and then his face suddenly brightened with a new thought. "Wayne," he asked, placing his hand upon my arm familiarly, "is it Mrs. Brennan?"

For an instant I hesitated, but his manly, honest countenance reassured me. "Between us only, it is," I answered gravely; "but not the slightest blame attaches to her."

"I do not wholly understand," he said at last, "yet I do not doubt you may be perfectly right in your decision." He extended his hand impulsively. "I know you to be a good soldier and a true gentleman; I will stand by you, Wayne, but I pledge this—if he takes advantage treacherously, and you fall (as God forbid!) I will face him myself; and when I do, there will be no firing in the air."

I do not remember that we spoke, save once, while we passed out through the orchard field where the big tobacco shed stood. Not until we turned the corner of the great ramshackle building, which in other and more prosperous days had been dedicated to the curing of the leaf, did we perceive any signs of the presence

of our antagonists. They were standing upon the further side, directly opposite the door, and both bowed slightly as we approached. The Captain came toward us slowly.

"It is to be greatly regretted, gentlemen," he said, with ceremonious politeness, "that we have no surgeon with us. However, neither contestant has any advantage in this respect. Lieutenant Caton, may I ask if the arrangements as already completed have proven satisfactory to your principal?"

"Entirely so."

"Then if you will kindly step this way a moment we will confer as to certain details."

Brennan was leaning in negligent attitude against the side of the building, his eyes fastened upon the ground, the blue smoke of a cigar curled lazily above his head. I glanced toward him, and then sought to amuse myself watching the queer antics of a gray squirrel on the fence rail beyond. I felt no desire for further thought, only an intense anxiety for them to hurry the preliminaries, and have the affair settled as speedily as possible. I was aroused by Moorehouse's rather nasal voice.

"Gentlemen, will you please take your positions. Major Brennan, you will stand three paces to the right of that sapling, facing directly south. Captain Wayne, kindly walk straight west from the shed door until you come opposite the Major's position."

I noted Brennan throw away the stump of his cigar, and then I walked slowly forward until I reached the point assigned me. My heart was beating fast now, for I fully realized the probabilities of the next few minutes, and felt little doubt that serious injury, if not death, was to be my portion. Yet my trained nerves did not fail me, and outwardly I appeared fully as cool and deliberate as my opponent. Years of constant exposure to peril in every form had yielded me a grim philosophy of fatalism that now stood me in most excellent stead. Indeed, I doubt not, had I chosen to put it to the test, my hand would have proven the steadiest of the two, for Brennan's face was flushed, and he plainly exhibited the intense animosity with which he confronted me.

How peculiar the mind often operates in such moments of exciting suspense. I recall remarking a very slight stoop in Brennan's shoulders which I had never perceived before. I remember wondering where Moorehouse had ever discovered a tailor to give so shocking a fit to his coat, and finally I grew almost interested in two birds perched upon the limb of a tree opposite where I stood. I even smiled to myself over a jest one of the young officers had made an hour before. Yet with it all I remained keenly observant and fully aware of each movement made by the others on the field. I saw Caton accept the deringer handed him and test it carefully, the long, slim, blue barrel looking deadly enough as he held it up between me and the sky. Then Moorehouse approached Brennan with his fellow in his grasp, and the Lieutenant crossed over, and stood beside me.

"Here is the gun, Wayne," he said, "and I sincerely hope you have changed your decision. There is no mercy in Brennan's eyes."

"So I notice," I answered, taking the deringer from him, and examining it with some curiosity, "but I shall do as I said, nevertheless. It is not any sentiment of mercy I feel which spares him, but a duty that appeals to me even more strongly than hate."

"By Heaven, I wish it were otherwise."

"Who gives the word?" I questioned. "I do; are you ready?"

"Perfectly."

I held out my hand, and his fingers closed upon it with warm, friendly grip. The next moment Brennan and I stood, seemingly alone, facing each other, as motionless as two statues. His coat was buttoned to the throat, his capvisor pulled low over his eyes, his pistol hand hanging straight down at his side, his gaze never wavering from me. I knew he was coolly, deliberately measuring the distance between us with as deadly a purpose as any murderer. The almost painful stillness was broken by Caton, and I marked the tremor in his voice.

"Are you both ready, gentlemen?"

"I am," said Brennan.

"Ready," I replied.

"The word will be one, two, three—fire; with a slight pause after the three. A report from either pistol before the final word is spoken I shall take personally. Be prepared now."

"Ready!" said the voice once more; and as I saw Brennan's arm slowly rise, I lifted mine also, and covered him, noting, as I did so, almost in wonder, with what steadiness of nerve and wrist I held the slender gauge just beneath the visor of his cap. Deliberately, as though he dreaded the necessity, Caton counted:

"One; two; three—fire!"

My pistol exploded, the charge striking the limb above him, and I staggered backward, my hat torn from my head, a white line cut through my hair



"Brennan Hurled His Yet Smoking Derringer at His Feet With an Oath."

and a thin trickle of blood upon my temple. I saw Caton rushing toward me, his face filled with anxiety, and then Brennan hurled his yet smoking deringer into the dirt at his feet with an oath.

"Damn it, Moorehouse," he roared, fairly beside himself, "the charge was too heavy; it overshot."

"Are you much hurt?" panted Caton. "Merely pricked the skin."

Then Brennan's angry voice rang out once more.

"I demand another shot," he insisted loudly. "I demand it, I tell you, Moorehouse. This settles nothing, and I will not be balked just because you don't know enough to load a gun."

Caton wheeled upon him, his blue eyes blazing dangerously.

"You demand a second shot?" he cried indignantly. "Are you not aware, sir, that Captain Wayne fired in the air? It would be murder."

"Fired in the air!" he laughed, as if it was a most excellent joke. "Of course he did, but it was because my ball disconcerted his aim. I fired a second the first, but his deringer was covering me."

Caton strode toward him, his face white with passion.

"Let him have it his way," I called after him, for now my own blood was up. "I shall not be guilty of such neglect again."

He did not heed me, perhaps he did not hear.

"Major Brennan," he said, facing him, his voice trembling with feeling, "I tell you Captain Wayne purposely shot in the air. He informed me before coming upon the field that he should do so. I positively refuse to permit him to face your fire again."

Brennan's face blazed; chagrin, anger, disappointment fairly infuriated him, and he seemed to lose all self-control. "This is some cowardly trick!" he roared, glaring about him as if seeking some one upon whom he could vent his wrath. "Damn it, I believe my pistol was fixed to overshot in order to save that fellow. I never missed such a shot before."

Moorehouse broke in upon his raving, so astounded at these intemperate words as to stutter in his speech.

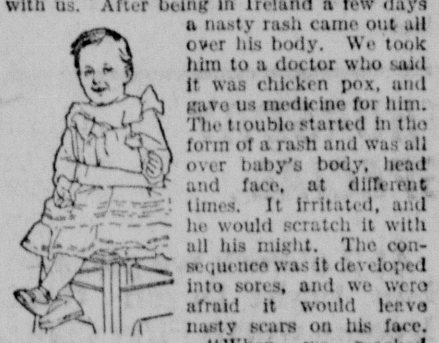
"Do do you dare to insinuate, Major Brennan," he began, "that I have—" he paused, his mouth wide open, staring toward the shed. Involuntarily we glanced in that direction also, wondering what he saw. There, in the open doorway, as in a frame, dressed almost entirely in white, her graceful figure and fair young face clearly defined against the dark background, stood Edith Brennan.

To Be Continued

COULD NOT SLEEP WITH ITCHING RASH

All Over Baby's Body, Head and Face. Scratching Made Sores. Used Cuticura Soap and Ointment and Have Had No Further Trouble.

"On July 27, 1909, we left Boston for a trip to England and Ireland, taking baby with us. After being in Ireland a few days a nasty rash came out all over his body. We took him to a doctor who said it was chicken pox, and gave us medicine for him. The trouble started in the form of a rash and was all over baby's body, head and face, at different times. It irritated, and he would scratch it with all his might. The consequence was it developed into sores, and we were afraid it would leave nasty scars on his face. When we reached England we took baby to another doctor, who said his condition was due to change of food and climate, and gave more medicine. The rash got no better, and it used to itch and burn at night so bad that the child could not sleep. He was completely covered with it at different times. It was at this time that my mother advised us to try Cuticura Soap and Ointment. After using Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment for about nine months the places disappeared. There are not any scars, or other kind of disfigurement, and baby is completely cured by the Cuticura Soap and Ointment. We have had no further trouble with baby's skin. Nothing stopped the itching, and allowed baby to sleep but Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment." (Signed) Mrs. Margaret Cunn, 20 Burdett St., Roxbury, Boston, Mass., March 12, 1911.



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LIMITED WRECK KILLS 8, HURTS 30

Ten Coaches of Great Northern Train Crash Down Steep Bank.

RUSH HELP TO THE SCENE

Accident Happens at Doyon, Near Devil's Lake, N. D.—Railroad Officials Maintain Secrecy About Disaster.

Devil's Lake, N. D., Feb. 14.—Seven persons, possibly eight, are dead and between twenty and thirty injured, as the result of a wreck on the Great Northern railroad near here.

The Oriental Limited, the railroad's "de luxe" passenger train, bound for Chicago from the coast, left the rails at Doyon, sixteen miles east.

Engineer Printerville of Devil's Lake and Fireman Peterson are said to be among the seriously injured.

Ten Coaches Go Into Ditch. Every one of the ten coaches that made up the train left the track and went down a steep embankment, turning over twice.

A special relief train left here carrying every physician and undertaker available and hurried to the scene of the wreck, leaving Devil's Lake thirty minutes after word had been received here.

It will be some time before the relief train returns. There is no telegraph service at the scene of the accident nor any telephone service.

Happens at Way Station. The scene of the fatality is a way station at which the limited never stops. The train was going at high speed when the accident happened, and it is considered remarkable that the list of dead and injured is not larger.

The cold weather added to the sufferings of the victims.

Officials Are Secretive. St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 14.—Little information of the wreck can be obtained from the general offices of the Great Northern railway.

At the office of the superintendent it was said that a wreck to the Oriental limited had occurred, but how serious was not known.

The officials doubted that any one had been killed.

Road's Crack Train. Chicago, Feb. 14.—The Oriental Limited is the Great Northern's crack train running between Chicago and Puget Sound. Its running schedule between Chicago, through St. Paul and Minneapolis, to Seattle is seventy-two hours.

Shuster Is Involved. Persians Hold Up Americans of Ex-Treasurer's Staff.

T. E. Cairns and Eleven Aids Detained Because of Alleged Irregularities in Chief's Accounts.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 14.—The Persian government has telegraphed orders to the municipal officials at Enzell and Resht instructing them to detain T. E. Cairns and the eleven other Americans who formerly composed the staff of W. Morgan Shuster, the ex-treasurer general of Persia, according to a dispatch received by the Evening Vremya from Teheran.

Mr. Cairns and his former associates in the Persian treasury department left Teheran on their way home on February 10. They will be required, the newspaper dispatch adds, to answer for irregularities which, the Persian officials allege, have been discovered in the accounts of Mr. Shuster while he acted as treasurer general.

Two Hold Up Whole Town. Keep Greenville (Ind.) in Terror Until the Sheriff Arrives.

New Albany, Ind., Feb. 14.—Two men held up the little town of Greenville, Ind., in the most approved wild western fashion, and for two hours not a citizen showed himself out of doors while Charles Lee and Louis Morgan paced up and down the length of the main street with drawn revolvers uttering threats and whoops of defiance. Finally Sheriff Anthony Fisher arrived in answer to telephone calls and put the men under arrest.

Democrats Back Clark. Missouri Delegation Is for Speaker for Presidential Nomination.

Washington, Feb. 14.—The Missouri delegation in congress issued a statement here setting forth the public record of Speaker Champ Clark and arguing him as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for president. The statement declares the United Democracy of Missouri is behind the speaker.

Start Leather Inquiry. New York, Feb. 14.—A protective committee of fifty or more, composed of the larger stockholders of the Central Leather company, is being formed, with ex-Governor Stokes of New Jersey as chairman. The object is to inquire into the business management of the corporation.

Man Falls Off Boat and Drowns. Cairo, Feb. 14.—An unidentified man was drowned off the steamer Georgia Lee while lying at the wharf. The body was recovered. He was about sixty years old and is supposed to live near Doreno, Mo.

Farmer Kills Himself. Stewardson, Feb. 14.—Harry M. Ramsey, a young farmer living south-east of this county, committed suicide by shooting himself. He was thirty years old and leaves a wife and baby.

Butcher Uses Pistol to Die. Mendota, Feb. 14.—John Bausauf Sublette, one mile north of here, committed suicide in his meat market by shooting himself in the mouth with a revolver.

NEWS OF ILLINOIS

A Telegraphic Chronicle of State Happenings.

YOUNG BOY LOSES LIFE

Henry Garzonio, Fifteen Years Old, Falls From a Motor Truck at Marquette Cement Works and Is Killed.

Lasalle, Feb. 14.—Henry Garzonio, fifteen years old, fell from a tunnel motor at Marquette cement works and was killed. He was taken to St. Mary's hospital in Lasalle, where he died. Garzonio was a son of the woman who was shot in Portland ten days ago. He was employed as a watchman.

Wife Joins Her Husband.

Charleston, Feb. 14.—Public announcement was made here for the first time of the marriage of Miss Pearl Trenary of this city to George E. Polk, sporting editor of the Anderson (Ind.) Bulletin, which took place in Chicago, June 11, 1911. The marriage has been kept a profound secret, and the bride has been working here since her marriage as stenographer for a local real estate firm for which she worked prior to the marriage. She has joined her husband and they will reside at Anderson.

Nashville School Head Buried.

Nashville, Feb. 14.—The funeral of Frank M. Vernor, president of the Nashville school board and former state's attorney of Washington county, was one of the largest ever held here. The body lay in state in the courthouse hall. The pallbearers were: Circuit Judge L. Bernreuter, County Judge W. P. Green, Attorneys B. B. Holston, A. W. Hutchings, H. H. Hosmer and J. A. Watts. Burial was in the Masonic cemetery under the direction of the Knights of Pythias.

Boy Scouts Go on Real Scout Trip.

Murphysboro, Feb. 14.—Reading too much about the Boy Scouts led Frank Shaw and Joe Wagner, fifteen years old, respectively, to yearn for the woods and streams. They saved their money and instead of going to school, purchased blankets, repeating rifles, axes and a Boy Scout outfit each and set out to spend five months trapping. They were found in the Big Muddy river bottoms fifteen miles southwest of Murphysboro and will be brought home.

Accused of Having Three Wives.

Aurora, Feb. 14.—Elgin E. Porter, a traveling man, who has at least three wives, the police say, was indicted on the charge of bigamy preferred by Jacob Krill, the father of Porter's latest wife. It was just a year ago today that Porter married Miss Alice Krill. She believes in him and will be an unwilling witness against him. Her "husband" is in jail at Geneva. He was arrested while on the honeymoon.

Woman Sues for \$40,000.

Decatur, Feb. 14.—Because they furnished her husband enough liquor to keep him drunk from New Year's day, 1911, to January 9, 1912, and which finally resulted in his going insane and committing suicide, Mrs. Lucy Chloe and son of Pana have filed suit for \$40,000 against the eighteen saloonkeepers of that town. She charges loss of support for herself and five children.

Girls to Wear Trousers.

Bloomington, Feb. 14.—Because some of the young women of St. Patrick's parish are to wear male attire at a minstrel performance shortly to be given in Ottawa for the benefit of the church, their conduct has been severely criticized in some quarters. The young ladies have found a defender in the pastor of the church, Father M. A. Quirk.

Curtwright Trial Is Begun.

Bloomington, Feb. 14.—Many witnesses from Douglas and Jasper counties, Judge Salen Philbrick and Editor Fred Bent of Tuscola Journal included, testified for the prosecution in the trial of Zena Curtwright, charged with the murder of his wife in Tuscola, and which opened at Monticello. A change of venue is being taken.

Canal Jury Out Two Weeks.

Dixon, Feb. 14.—The jury in the inlet drainage case in the Lee county court, involving \$500,000 in assessments, came into court and asked for two weeks more to complete its report. The case was given to the jury on January 30.

Man Falls Off Boat and Drowns.

Cairo, Feb. 14.—An unidentified man was drowned off the steamer Georgia Lee while lying at the wharf. The body was recovered. He was about sixty years old and is supposed to live near Doreno, Mo.

Farmer Kills Himself.

Stewardson, Feb. 14.—Harry M. Ramsey, a young farmer living south-east of this county, committed suicide by shooting himself. He was thirty years old and leaves a wife and baby.

Butcher Uses Pistol to Die.

Mendota, Feb. 14.—John Bausauf Sublette, one mile north of here, committed suicide in his meat market by shooting himself in the mouth with a revolver.

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The one sure way to acquire capital is to begin by saving—Where one man acquired capital to start with by a "lucky strike" ten thousand have failed—Nearly all successful business men began by saving. Next to an increasing savings account the most valuable thing a young man can have in a business way is the council of an upright banker. You can have both, if you will, at the City National Bank. Come in and talk with Mr. Durkes our cashier. Do it this pay day.

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WANTED. I am prepared to do expert shoe repairing on short notice. Shoe polish, laces, insoles, rubber heels and Dryfoot oil dressing for sale. A. H. Beckingham, 108 Hennepin Ave. 1124

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WANTED. A housekeeper. Address Box 18, R. 5, Dixon, Ill. 3512*

WANTED. Position on farm by young man. Apply at Hotel Bishop. 373* 28tf

WANTED. Small barn, 14x20, or similar size. South Side. 373*

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FOR SALE

FOR RENT. Good 7 room house; position given March 1. Enquire Jos. Shorrett, 1213 Douglas Ave. 326

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6 room house near college, city and cistern water, cess pool. Lot 50x150 ft., good barn. A very nice place. Price \$1050, small cash payment, balance monthly.

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Lard 10
Oats 43@45
Corn 53@56
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Wheat—
May 102½ 102½ 101½ 102½
July 95½ 95½ 95½ 95½
Sept 93½ 94½ 93½ 94½

Corn—
May 68½ 68½ 68½ 68½
July 67½ 68½ 67½ 68½
Sept 67½ 68½ 67½ 68½

Oats—
May 52½ 52½ 52½ 52½
July 48½ 48½ 48 48½
Sept 41½ 42½ 41½ 41½

Pork—
May 1615 1627 1615 1617
July 1637 1645 1637 1637

Lard—
May 925 927S 920S 922
July 937 942 935S 935

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May 877 882S 877 877
July 885 890 882 882

Hogs open steady to shade lower. Left over—11,068.
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Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily except Sunday. South Bound.

123 Express 11:15 a. m.
131 Clinton Exp. 5:10 p. m.
191 Amboy Frt. 8:50 a. m.

North Bound.
132 Ft. Dodge Exp. 9:50 a. m.
124 Local Mail 5:30 p. m.
192 Freeport Frt. 12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY. Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.
No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago
5 3:21 a. m. 6:45 a. m.
6 4:29 a. m. 7:20 a. m.
10 5:46 a. m. 8:30 a. m.
24 6:23 a. m. 9:05 a. m.
28 7:21 a. m. 10:15 a. m.
8 8:33 a. m. 11:20 a. m.
14 10:55 a. m. 1:30 p. m.
20 11:15 a. m. d'ly ex Sun 2:40 p. m.
18 4:04 p. m. d'ly ex Sun 7:25 p. m.
100 4:15 p. m. Sun only 7:25 p. m.
14 6:10 p. m. 8:45 p. m.

WEST BOUND.
No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon
17 7:00 a. m. ex Sun 10:14 a. m.
39 7:10 a. m. Sun only 10:23 a. m.
5 8:30 a. m. 11:10 a. m.
13 10:00 a. m. 12:34 p. m.
19 12:30 p. m. ex Sun 3:43 p. m.
27 4:35 p. m. 7:25 p. m.
11 6:05 p. m. 8:40 p. m.
25 6:10 p. m. 8:57 p. m.
11 8:30 p. m. 11:05 p. m.
7 10:16 p. m. 12:53 a. m.
3 10:45 p. m. 1:57 a. m.

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13 35 53 Galena & Fellows 27 47 7
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20 40 60 Office 20 40 60
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PUBLIC SALES

Feb. 14—Fred Lord, 2 1-2 miles west of Dixon on Sterling road. Stock sale.

Thursday, Feb. 15—H. C. Klehm, 3 miles west of Dixon, Ill., on the Dr. Law farm. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Monday, Feb. 19—Mrs. S. Drew, 2 miles east of Dixon on Barlow farm. Closing out sale. D. M. Fahrney, Auctioneer.

Tuesday, Feb. 13—Wm. F. Jensen, one-half mile north and one-half mile east of Nelson.

Saturday, Feb. 17—Henry Grobe, 8 miles northwest of Dixon and 3 1-2 miles southwest of Woosung.

Feb. 20—Patrick Reynolds, 2 1-2 miles west of Woosung, 5 miles south of Polo.

February 20—Oliver Spielman, closing out sale, 3 miles east of Dixon on the Dr. Ives farm. Geo. J. Fruin, Auct.

February 21—Ed. Knight, 4 miles southeast of Dixon on Eldena road. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Thursday, Feb. 22—M. D. Grimes, 4 miles east of Dixon on the Daysville road.

Monday, Feb. 26—Harry Huyett, 3 miles south of Dixon on Peoria road. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Feb. 28, Wednesday—Stock sale, at Prairieville. P. B. Harms and S. S. Royer.

Tuesday, March 5—John Myers, 6 1-2 miles north of Dixon. Avey & Ocker, Aucts.

Mch. 6, Wednesday—F. N. Alter, 5 1-2 miles north of Dixon. Fahrney & Ocker, Aucts.

March 8—Howard Martin's.

PUBLIC SALE.

Having decided to quit farming here and move on my farm in Minnesota I will have a sale at my place of residence on the Dr. Law farm on the River road, 3 miles west of the milk factory, Dixon, Ill., Thursday, Feb. 15, the following described property, so-wit:

25 head of cattle, consisting of 24 choice milch cows, some fresh, others heavy springers; 1 high grade Durham bull.

9 head of good last fall shoats.

Farm machinery, consisting of 1 McCormick grain binder, 1 McCormick mower, 1 hay rake, 1 hay tedder, 2 hay racks, 1 hay fork, rope and pulley; 1 walking stubble plow, 1 triple disk gang plow, 1 2-section drag, 1 3-section drag, 1 riding corn plow, 2 walking corn plows; 1 garden cultivator, 1 single shovel plow, 1 potato digger, 1 corn planter, 1 milk wagon, 2 buggies, 1 single harness, 1 hand corn sheller, 1 seeder, 10 milk cans and milk pails, 1 steam feed cooker, 1 wheelbarrow, shovels and forks, 1 cutter and other small articles. Row boat, set of oars, 6-hole range cook stove and pipe, wood heating stove and pipe, extension table and other household furniture.

About 15 or 20 tons of shredded corn fodder. Also about 6 bushels of seed corn, 2 dozen hens.

Sale will commence at 10 o'clock. Free lunch at noon, served by W. W. Teschendorff. Stand rights taken.

H. C. KIEHM.

D. M. Fahrney, Auct., Chas. Leake, Clerk. 326*

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

The undersigned administrator of the estate of Phoebe I. Grimes, deceased, will sell at public auction, 4 miles east of Dixon on Daysville road, 3 miles northwest of Nachusa and 2 miles south of Grand Detour on Thursday, Feb. 22, 1912, the following described property:

9 head of horses, 1 gray horse 17 years old, weight about 1430; 1 black mare 18 years old, weight 1430; 1 gray mare 22 years old, weight 1,100; 1 bay mare 16 years old, weight 1,000; 1 bay mare 14 years old, weight 1000, family broke; 1 black mare 4 years old, weight 1100; 1 black gelding 4 years old, weight 1100; 1 black mare 4 years old, weight 1200; 1 brown gelding 4 years old, weight 1200.

27 head of cattle, consisting of 23 choice milch cows and 4 heifers coming 2 years old.

Farm machinery of all descriptions.

Household goods of all kinds.

Sale commences at 10 o'clock, free lunch at 12, served by Goetzemberger.

Terms of Sale: All sums of \$5 and under cash, on purchases to amount of over \$5 a credit of 9 months time will be given, purchaser giving a strictly bankable note with approved security drawing interest at 7 per cent per annum from date. Interest to be deducted if paid promptly at maturity. No property to be removed until settled for.

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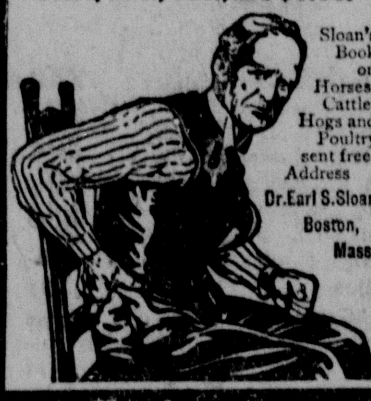
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PUBLIC SALE

Having rented his farm the undersigned will have a closing out sale at his place of residence three and one-half miles southeast of Dixon on the Peru road Wednesday, Feb. 21, 1912.

The following described property: Ten head of horses, one iron mare 6 years old, weight 1300; 1 black mare 7 years old, weight 1320; 1 iron gray mare in foal, 9 years old, weight 1450; 1 iron gray gelding 4 years old, weight 1500; 1 sorrel roan gelding 3 years old, weight 1300; 1 gray gelding 3 years old, weight 1220; 1 iron gray mare 1 year old, weight 900; 2 last spring colts, 1 bay and 1 gray; 1 gray gelding 5 years old, weight 1200.

Farm machinery of all description. Sale commences at one o'clock, free lunch at noon, served by W. W. Teschendorff, stand rights taken.

Terms of sale: One years time will be given on all sums over ten dollars by purchaser given a good bankable note with approved security drawing six per cent interest from date. Sum of ten dollars and under cash 2 per cent off for cash on sums over ten dollars. No property to be removed until settled for.

E. B. KNIGHT D. M. Fahrney, Auctioneer, J. Wadsworth, Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned living on the farm formerly Wm. Stewart's, situated 6 miles northwest of Franklin Grove, 8 miles south of Oregon, 9 miles northeast of Dixon and 1-2 mile south of Teal's corner, Monday, Feb. 19 the following described property:

6 head of horses, 1 horse 12 years old, family broke; 1 gray gelding 7 years old, 1 bay gelding 8 years old, 1 par of Arabian mares broke to all harness, 1 blind mare 10 years old, 5 head of cattle, 2 cows, heavy springers, 2 heifers heavy with calf, 1 spring calf.

27 head of hogs, 24 sheep, 1 ram, 7 brood sows and 20 shoats.

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4 lb. pails Cottolene, 44 cts.
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Tea Siftings, lb., 12 cts.
3 lb. cans Plums in syrup, 10 cts.
4 cans green String Beans, 25 cts.
4 cans Hominy, 25 cts.
4 lbs. good fresh Ginger Snaps, 25 cts.
40 ct. lb. Baker's Chocolate, 25 cts.
10 German Family Soap, 25 cts.
4 cans Sweet Corn, 25 cts.
Sweet Wrinkle Lake-side Peas, per can, 11 cts.
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the new Schuler Building. Later
about Feb. 5, she will open up a
Beauty Parlor in connection.

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BRITAIN FACES MANY BIG ISSUES

Opening of Parliament and Re-
sult of Haldane's Visit
Arouses Interest.

CABINET OFFICERS RESIGN

Session of Legislative Body Big With
Fate of Persons, Policies and
Things, Says a Peer of the
Realm.

London, England, Feb. 14.—Earl Car-
rington has resigned the office of lord
privy seal and the marquis of Crewe
has been appointed to succeed him.
Lord Pentland resigned as secretary
of state for Scotland and Thomas Mc-
Kinnon Wood, under secretary for for-
eign affairs, has been appointed to the
office.

Acute interest, attended by sup-
pressed excitement, prevails in all
quarters in connection with political
conditions and events here. Three
topics monopolize conversation—the
opening today by King George of a
momentous session of parliament, the
missionary visit of Viscount Haldane
to Berlin and the bestowal by the king
of knighthood of the Order of the Gar-
ter on Sir Edward Grey, the foreign
secretary.

Fate of Leaders in Balance.
"As to the parliamentary session,"
said a peer of the realm, "one can say
little except that it is big with the
fate of persons, policies and parties.
The Irish home rule bill will be in-
troduced and in all probability carried.
Welsh disestablishment has an equally
good chance of success. Then comes
electoral reform, which is really the
biggest thing now in hand. Shall all
adults in these islands vote? This
question is the greatest ever pre-
sented to our parliament. The women
are gaining efficiency in organization
and effectiveness in argument every
day and they must be reckoned with
if they are not to develop a rock suf-
ficiently large to split the parties in
pieces and even destroy imperial and
national peace. So much for the ses-
sion."

Haldane's Achievement Secret.
"Now as to Viscount Haldane's sud-
den and almost theatrical visit to the
highest political personages of Ger-
many. I can tell you that he went to
Berlin because, in common with the
most discerning of his colleagues, he
felt that an Anglo-German war was
creeping upon us and that something
abrupt and unprecedented must be
done to avert the menace."

"Now as to the great surprise of the
day—the conferring of the high and
peculiar honor of knighthood of the
Garter on Sir Edward Grey. About
this I cannot speak with the authority
of the king, but I can indicate the
facts from trustworthy knowledge."

Facing Stressful Conditions.
"Grey is standing for England in
stressful conditions. He is trying to
hold Russia's friendship while prevent-
ing Russia from breaking off pieces
from the new republic of China and
from destroying the national life of
Persia. He is trying to disabuse the
Japanese mind of the suspicion that
England is disloyal to the Anglo-Jap-
anese alliance and he is trying to keep
the friendship of Italy and especially
that of France—doing the latter while
seeking to make friends with Ger-
many so as to arrest the growth of
armaments."

CHINA VERY INDIFFERENT

Masses in Peking Accept Abdication of
Throne Very Quietly.

Peking, China, Feb. 14.—The indif-
ference of the Chinese masses to the
form of government is very evident in
the capital. They accept the news of
the republic without any demonstra-
tion either favorable or unfavorable.
Owing to preparations for the Chinese
new year, February 18, the people have
not time to take the abdication of the
throne into consideration. More than
30,000 troops are in Peking or sta-
tioned around the city walls.

TAFT IN MOVING PICTURE

Films Will Show Him Signing Arizona
Statehood Bill.

Washington, Feb. 14.—For the first
time in the history of the White House
moving pictures of an event of na-
tional importance were taken today,
when President Taft signed the pro-
clamation admitting Arizona to the
Union. The pictures were taken by
an employee of the treasury depart-
ment and presented to the president.
Another may be made a part of the
official records.

Murders Man on Street.
Fort Worth, Tex., Feb. 14.—Jealous
because his former wife was engaged
to marry, Frank Kirklen, aged twenty-
five, shot and killed Eugene Slayton,
of the same age, at Ninth and Main
streets, under the glare of electric
lights and while the street was crowded.

General Lea Reported Dying.
Shanghai, Feb. 14.—Gen. Homer
Lea, the American soldier of fortune
who played a great part in training
the imperial army of China, is reported
to be dying of fever at Nanking.
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he is the author of many books on
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